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Beet Growers Will Eliminate All Japanese and Korean Labor and Will Employ German Families in Cultivating and Harvesting Beet Crops.

The La Grande Observer says of the coming of a colony of Germans to Grand Ronde valley to work in the sugar beet fields:

The first step toward the eventual substitution of white labor for oriental in the extensive beet fields of Union county, were consummated this morning when five families of a colony of 25 German families that have been contracted with to come here from Walla Walla, reached here.

The five families went to Hot Lake this morning and are already locating themselves in the ranch houses on the Hall ranch. Before the week is out, 20 additional German families will have emigrated to this valley for the express purpose of working in the beet fields and to make Grand Ronde valley their future home.

This movement was started by the Amalgamated Sugar company this spring and the management feels confident that it is a wise one.

Eliminate Jap Labor.

Soon—in a year or two at the most—the sugar company will have white labor exclusively in its beet fields. The company believes the Germans will prove more valuable and reliable than the Japs and Koreans.

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Hours for Voting.

For the primary election to be held Friday the voting booths will be open from noon until 7 o'clock in the evening. During that time all saloons must remain closed as though the occasion were a regular election day, instead of nomination time. The fact that the voting is to be confined to the afternoon is something of which many voters have been ignorant and today many inquiries concerning the point were received at the clerk's office.

REVIEW OF WEATHER.

Portland Station Sends Out Detailed Review for Past Winter.

The following review of Oregon weather has just been sent out by the Portland station and is the first of the weekly reports which will continue through the season:

The weather during the last six months was, on the whole, mild and dry, with no severe cold spells and less than the usual amount of snow in the valleys. There were three rainy days near the end of October, but the seasonal rains did not really begin until the second decade in November and they continued thereafter intermittently until the end of March.

During December there was a marked excess in precipitation between the Coast and the Cascade ranges of mountains, and one moderate cool spell from the 16th until the 21st, when the temperatures in the western counties were slightly below the freezing point and in the eastern counties from 10 to 20 degrees lower than the freezing point, but only two stations reported zero temperatures.

Notwithstanding rains occurred almost daily in January, the total amount was small and by the end of the month there was a deficiency of nearly two inches, which was proportionally greatest in the eastern counties.

The oldest weather of the season occurred during the first three days in February, when zero temperatures were reported in nearly every eastern county and temperatures from 20 to 30 degrees above zero in the western counties. This cold spell was of short duration and followed by mild weather during the remainder of the month.

The February precipitation was deficient in all counties and hardly any snow fell in the cultivated valleys. About the middle of March there were three or four days with heavy rains and mild temperatures, which caused all rivers to run bank full and numerous washouts occurred along the railroads in the eastern district.

Frequent light frosts occurred in March and in the higher sections there were a number of killing frosts.

MACHINE AGENT HAS GONE WRONG

WARRANT OUT FOR ARREST OF H. T. KELLEY.

Agent for Singer Sewing Machines in This City Collects Company Funds, But Fails to Turn Them Over—E. Hensley of Walla Walla Now in Charge of the Business in This City, Swears to Complaint.

H. T. Kelley, erstwhile manager for the Singer Sewing Machine Company, in this city, has gone wrong, according to the allegations of his employers, and a warrant for his arrest is now in the hands of the sheriff. E. Hensley, representative of the Singer machine company at Walla Walla, but who is now in charge of the Pendleton business, swore to the complaint against Kelley last evening. In the information filed in the justice court Kelley is charged with the embezzlement of \$28.

But while the amount named in the charge is small, it does not represent Kelley's actual shortage, according to Mr. Hensley. Up to last evening it had been found and it is feared later developments will make the amount larger. As agent for the sewing machine company Kelley sold machines and made collections from the company's headquarters in the Millarkey building on Court street. He is said to have failed to turn over money which he collected and his tardiness in that regard aroused the suspicion of his employers.

So several days ago Hensley was sent here to take charge and since that time Kelley has not been seen. Patrons of the company have been warned to make no further payments to him.

Kelley is thought to have gone to Umatilla from this place. But as the case was not given to the sheriff until this morning he has had ample time to leave the country should he wish to do so.

Maimed by a Blast.

Louis Shermeck, Jr., the young man injured by a blast near Gifford two weeks ago, is reported to be improving nicely by Dr. J. J. Herrington, who was a visitor in the city last night from Gifford.

The young man has sustained the loss of his left arm at the elbow and two fingers of the right hand besides receiving numerous wounds on the body and lower limbs.—Lewiston Teller.

Men successfully tackle big responsibilities only after having practiced up on little ones.

PERSONAL MENTION

L. J. Foss of Athena, is transacting business at the county seat.

B. W. Myers of Athena, is a business visitor in the city today.

Clark Nelson has returned from a short business trip to Portland.

Mrs. L. J. Wagoner of Athena, is visiting with friends in the city today.

Attorney R. R. Johnson of Echo, was a business visitor in the city today.

A. P. Bales the musician, left for Portland this morning to remain permanently.

Mrs. H. M. Gillette returned to Echo this afternoon after a brief visit in the city.

S. R. Oldaker returned to Hermiston this morning after a brief business trip to the city.

Attorney Francis H. Bartlett of Hermiston, was transacting legal business in the city today.

Mrs. Joe Parkes has returned from a visit of a few weeks with relatives in Deer Park, Wash.

Wm. H. Daughtrey of the Umatilla Ranch company at Echo, is in the city today on business.

Charles A. Barrett left for Echo this morning in the interest of his candidacy for re-election to the legislature.

Mrs. Pete Healy of Sumpter, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Gagen for several days, left this morning for Portland.

Mrs. G. M. Glines, formerly of this city but now of Portland, will arrive Friday to be the guest of Mrs. Lee Moorhouse for a few days.

Mrs. M. Merryman, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Maybelle Griswold, for the past week, left today for her home in Eureka, Cal.

Mrs. E. P. Marshall returned last evening from Echo, where she had been upon a brief visit with Mr. Marshall, who also came up last evening.

Claud Steen, candidate for representative to the legislature, left this morning for the west end of the county in the interest of his candidacy.

Max Zimmerman, the market day promoter who has been at La Grande for the past month, came over last night and is in the city for a brief visit.

Dr. H. W. Coe and Dr. D. H. Rand of Portland, went down to Echo today to visit the Coe-Furnish lands, which are being sold rapidly this spring.

Engineer O. W. Moon of the Pendleton-Pilot Rock run on the O. R. & N., has been ill with an attack of the grip for several days, but is now improved.

J. T. Williamson, the land expert of La Grande, who was here yesterday in conference with the county court, returned to his home this morning.

Col. J. F. McNaught returned to his home at Hermiston this morning and will leave in a few days for Yakima valley on a business trip of several days.

C. M. DeVere, who is conducting amateur theatrical performances at Pendleton, arrived last evening to spend a few days here with relatives.—La Grande Observer.

J. W. Fox, salesman for the Hanford irrigated land, came down last evening from Walla Walla on a business trip. He is meeting with excellent success in disposing of the Hanford land.

E. A. Klippel, superintendent of telegraph service on the O. R. & N. system, is a guest of the St. George today while looking over the system in eastern Oregon. He is accompanied by Mrs. Klippel.

Mrs. W. A. Gibson left this morning for Hermiston to join her husband who is employed in the reclamation service there. They will locate upon land under the government project and make Hermiston their permanent home.

Fireman David Grabael is able to leave his bed today for the first time since he was so severely scalded in the Pendleton wreck. Though forced to rest on crutches, he is elated over his slow but apparently sure recovery. He expects to be up town in a few days.—La Grande Observer.

For Cemetery Water Supply.

This is the evening for the regular weekly meeting of the city council, and the proposition of the cemetery water system will again be up for consideration. The cemetery committee now plans to dig a well near the west end of Webb street and also to have the cemetery system connected with the city mains so that water may be had from the city system when there is any to spare.

Maxine Elliot, advocates wearing clothes to match the hair. This advice is for women only, we suppose; it wouldn't do for bald-headed men.—Life.

A reunion of Douglas county Woodmen of the World is being held at Roseburg and 500 visiting members are expected during the week.

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